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Construction winds down for holiday travel on state highways

Most WSDOT construction projects are winding down for the season. To accommodate travelers, construction activities on active projects will not occur between noon Friday, December 23 and Tuesday morning, December 27; and again between noon on Friday, December 30 and Tuesday morning, January 3, 2006.

WSDOT and the Washington State Patrol (WSP) will work together to help motorists reach their destinations safely and efficiently over the holiday weekend. WSDOT's Incident Response teams (IRT) are on call 24/7 to provide traffic control, detours and clean up at major incidents. IRT also travel major highways during peak traffic hours looking for travelers needing assistance.

Winter travel

With winter conditions already in place in several locations, the Washington State Department of Transportation (WSDOT) would like to remind motorists to [check for the latest road and weather conditions](#) before setting out on their holiday travels over the next two weekends. WSDOT has several additional sources of traveler information online about the following:

- [General information, camera images, roadway temperatures and weather](#)
- [Mountain pass information](#)
- [Puget Sound area traffic information](#)
- [Travel alerts and slowdowns](#)
- [Winter driving information](#)

A happy and safe new year

All of us at WSDOT would like to wish you a happy new year, and remind you to use our roadways safely, especially at this time of celebration. If you see a vehicle showing signs of driver impairment, please find a safe place to pull off the road and dial 9-1-1, or have a passenger make the call. You could save a life. And if you drink, use a designated driver, a cab, a bus - just don't get behind the wheel. We'll see you in 2006.

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